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HOUSTON, SUNDAY, JUNE 26, 1898 THEY WILL NOT LEARN.

its, last bill for new vessels to authorize followed. the building of any armored cruisers, and We need not mourn these heroes, there-

versels were on the high seas we would be of dying for others. unable to overtake it or to prevent it from going where it chose. By good fertune we got it in a bottle, otherwise we

speed, but this was overruled. Foreign governments are now giving eighteen knots speed to even their battleships, and much more to their armored cruisers. In sacrificing all else to armament and armor we are sure to be embarrassed some day when going against a nation with a faster navy. We were embarrassed from this very fact for more than a month in

The public should not trust too blindly to the theories of the eld constructors of the navy. The younger men in the service are demanding that more attention be paid to up-to-date models of foreign navies and the people should sustain these progressive young fellows to that extent, Under the lights now before us it looks as if speed were one of the very first considerations in neval construction of all kinds, and if we will not build armored cruisers we can at least add to the swiftness and cruising capacity of our battleships. Let us try and avoid morsbackism in the navy department above all other branches of the government.

GRAIN AND THE GULF ROUTES.

It seems that not only the securing of deep water on our gulf coasts is now attracting grain shipments in this direction. but that the Southern timber districts are ises by affording the North and South roads a return load of lumber.

The East and West lines for years carried grain to the Lakes and took back lumber to the West. They were able by this haul in both directions to reduce grain freights and they practically monopolized the grain carrying business. But now the forests of the lake region are so depleted that the West is looking to the Gulf timber country for its lumber, and the North and South roads are beginning to take both the grain and lumber carrying business from the East and West lines.

The result is constantly increasing grain shipments to the Gulf ports. The roads are getting freight "going and coming" and the Southern expert trade is showing a phenomenal development. A report on "Lake Commerce" recently made to the bureou of statistics points out this feature in the carrying situation and predicts that the Lake grain trade must constantly grow less while the Gulf ports must annually increase their exports.

Facts like these continue to emphasize be necessity of pushing to full accomnt our deep water channel, if we aid have Houston enjoy a great shipbusiness in the future. We could be-

come a great lumber shipping center as well as a grain and cotton exporting point. We are, in fact, especially equipped and situated to meet just these new conditions poted in the railroad carrying business.

We must not allow our ship channel proset to rest a day longer than necessarycircumstances, facts, conditions, are daily nore and more, justifying the completion of the work and pointing out its necessity.

OUR FALLEN HEROES.

Up to Friday of the past week the losses almost beginning to be hoped that this dorsing it. would be virtually a bloodless war, so far as casualties on our side were concerned. for sanitary operations has passed-the sum-The fighting around Santiago will have | mer is young yet. the effect of rudely correcting this impression.

when they stop for a moment to reflect treasury.-Senator Turple. upon the deadly character of modern enfrom time to time the results of the fight- on the first train out. ing in Cuba and Porto Rico and possibly n the Philippines.

There will be the consolution in Amerwho fall for us are falling in a just struggle for right, for humanity, for human progress, for National honor and National greatness. True, not a day passes over our heads but hundreds of brave men in the ordinary walks of life are failing at their tinuity and humanity. Accidents count their quota of victims; wear and tear, climate, the exigencies of the hour, are conof this continuous list of the dead and And yet the victims of war only fall in glory. another part of the field of civilization's ceaseless battle. They are no greater heroes than thousands of others who perish elsewhere. But they are heroes still, and are entitled to the glory which is due to their sacrifices.

That those who go down before the Spanfard will receive the grateful remembrance of and have their names and deeds bonored by this great Nation in a conspicuous It is much to be feared that our naval manner, goes without saying. They will taught the public at large. constructors are not disposed to apply the fall in one of the most right our and most lessons of the present in the further, or at unselfish causes that ever inspired huleast in the immediate, contracts for addi- man action and their deaths will cast a to help the performance in the bis tent tions to our nave. Congress neglected in new halo of electroscopic to the first table bedief fighters tions to our navy. Congress neglected in new halo of glory around the flag they

now the navy department proposes to con- fore, as we would grieve over their loss struct more battleships and monitors without special reference to special

Three big battleships and four monitors withthe face of the formal numerity, in

the face of th the face of the foe and upon the field of ment of citizen soldiers.-Indiana democratic tors were authorized as additions to the battle, are universally regarded as the platform 1898, navy by the present congress. The plans most glorious that can come to men, and have been practically completed by the as they disappear from the moving. have been practically completed by the activity decaptual trong hear from many department and not one of these breathing ranks of life a proud and grates is desimating the American ranks in Cuba. vessels is to have over sixteen knots speed. ful Nation will enroll their names on the This is the only ally Spain now hopes for. We have just had a demonstration of the imperichable lists of the world's benenecessity of giving more speed to our fight- factors and heroes. Christ himself taught ing vessels. If Cervera's fleet of armored the grandeur and the godlike inspiration

FOREIGN FAITH IN AMERICA.

It must greatly strengthen the feeling of should have been helpless to prevent what-business confidence in this country and assed on the flanks by McKlason of Cleveever mischief it might have intended inspire a broader development in all parts land. It is reassuring to find that all Ohio A strong effort was made by subordinates is our National credit undisturbed by war, in the naval construction bureau to have but that foreign capital is at this time some of the weight of armament and ar- actively seeking large investments within our borders.

Only a few days ago we were told that there was a feeling of disappointment in foreign financial circles that they would hardly be able to obtain any of our new war loan at first hand. Following that dued in London in 1888 statement came the news that an English syndicate was making every effort to seoure control of the Jellica coal district. in due to more than five pounds of naturely. Tennessee, comprising about 23,000 acres. Recently a gentleman, who is one of the promoters of an important railroad enterprise for Texas, which is to be accomplished through the use of English money, said that it was not a question of getting the money, but of the promise of the route surveyed. The Englishmen had declared that the war with Spain had nothing to do with it.

Cases such as these demonstrate how strong is the foreign faith in the continued growth and prosperity of the United States and the stability of our institutions and internal good order. The fact is, many of our own people display practically less confidence in our steady development than do outsiders. While foreigners are seeking investments in America, thousands of the steady and the steady are sever put in writing among the Mohammedans, but are investments in America, thousands of the steady steady and the steady steady are several from one story teller to another. investments in America, thousands of weak-kneed and shor-sighted American capitalists seem afraid to turn loose their money and prefer to hoard it in Eastern vaults.

The friendly feeling created between playing an important part in the prems England and America by the war will undoubtedly cause a larger influx of English money to this country than heretofore. Let the South bestir itself to get the bulk of this capital. The Eastern gentlemen, who have so studiously avoided Southern investment, can continue to lock their dollars in their safes if only we can

were men in congress who wanted to pay the HOW BANKRUPTCY WILL FARE soldiers in just such money as they will be paid, sliver and greenbacks. Those men only esisted that the government cain what bullion it has in the treasury and issue its greenback note of hand, redeemable as now, to the extent necessary to pay the war expenses, without resorting to a bond issue. There was sections. The act is to go into effect imno question nor possibility of a depreciated currency in it. But there were other "creat- for voluntary bankruptey can be filed ures" who wanted to rob the people of large within one month of the passage, and no sums of interest annually to turn over to petition for involuntary bankruptcy can bondholders, and those "creatures" prevailed. and receive the plaudits of such fabriflers as the Globe-Democrat and Gal-Dal News, When in battle of American troops or sailors a lie is told on the democrats you can always had been so few and scattered that it was find old "Me Too" Gal-Dal quoting and in-

Don't imagine for a moment that the time

Our present revenue law, commonly called nark the beginning, in all human prob- very peaceful, quiet, exceedingly pacific spobility, of an imposing death list on the liation of the carnings of labor, and the prod-American side, and the Nation must be ucle of land for the benefit of the clustered prepared to hear of the slaughter of our groups of monopolies who dictated its rates prepared to hear of the staughter of our and schedules. It afforded its beneficiaries brave soldiers, along with the news of unlimited resources for pelf and pillage, but it brilliant victories. No war in these latter yielded a return of revenue so scant as to be days can be bloodless. Of course, the peo- insufficient, even in times of peace. Its auple of the United States recognize this there, in their care for the trusts, forgot the

Another cabinet has been completed in gines of war, but the shock will be none France, but gentlemen who wish to avoid fu-

The democratic sentiment has no hostility to wealth or capital. The free and princely heart of liberty would not only allow but as ca, however, of knowing that the heroes sure to every man his earnings and possessions, great or small. The democratic sentiment has not reverence for wealth as such It reveres the freeman for what he is, not for what he has. - Senator Turple,

ness conditions perfectly normal throughout posts in the cause of civilization, Chris- the country. It takes something bigger than

The Rough Riders are meeting with rough experiences, but they are meeting them tike stantly adding to the list. But the world the brave men that they are. Possibly they stops not to think of these obscure heroes bever thought in the beginning of having to gation of insolvency, it is much his doly of this continuous list of the dead and obsage in hush fighting on foot, but they to appear in court with his books, pages wounded in the civil paths of progress, sought the post of tame with

So many young men of prominent families in this country have volunteered to this war that we may expect to hear of sorrow in high places before the fighting is over.

If some of the men who are rushing into print with abuse of their country for prosecuting war against Spain and are defending

there are possibly as loving hearts as here that weep over the most obscure victim of Mark Hanna continues to be grievously hat-

General Shafter carries a nickname obtained in Texas, and is neputarly known as "Peco-He is known as a hustler in the army

and will give the for little time to recover his wind.

SOME POSTSCRIPTS.

in New Zealand two persons working to-

Coal is dearer in South Africa than in It is estimated that, since the beginning of be historical era. 13,000,000 persons have per-

ished in earthquakes. The making of lucifer matches is a state monopoly in France, Spain, Portugal, Italy, Greece, Roumania and Servia,

Hetrew guides in Rome never pass us the Arch of Titus, but walk around it, reason is it commemorates a victory their race. Holland has just established compulsory

The only persons exempted are priests sters and divinity students. Bahrinta's German towns have formed an al-libuc to resist the spread of the Casch maye-ment. It is expected that the Bohrmian owns will form a counter-alliance.

The calendar for the present year exactly produces that of 1887. Each year comdeces that of 1887. Each year com-ced on a Saturday, has a 18-day Friday in both years Easter fell on April 10. France's new chamber of deputies includes a cost black negro from Guadatoupe, M. Le-titimus, elected by a coedition of blacks and whites against the nulatroes on the island. The rudder frame for the battleship littach has attived at the Nowport News shippard from the Cleveland from Ferge works. The weight of this frame is \$2,390 pourds.

DECREASE IN CRIME.

War Blas So Discreed the Attention of All but the Sudden.

their dollars in their safes if only we can turn the attention of foreign capital to this section. We need mills, factories, railroads, elevators and many other things in officerent sections of the South, and it looks from incidents mentioned as if we could get capital from abroad if we will only go after it.

In the meantime the country is to be congratulated and should take new hope that war, even with its heavy expenditures and possible disasters, has no effect on our business or financial standing anywhere.

The St. Louis Globe-Democrat puts it this way: "There are same creatures in congress who are unwilling to pay the soldiers unless they can be forced to take 45-cent dollars. They think \$15 a month in girl foo much for an American volunter." This is a brutally frank way of stating the case, but it would be bard to change it without sacrificing truth.—Dal-Gal News.

It is a brutally false way of stating the case, and it would be bard for the Dal-Gal News only to change it. Since when has there been any 45-cent dollars in this country? There

Washington, June 23 .- The general bankruptcy bill, which has been adopted by the conference committee is divided into seven chapters, embracing seventy inediately upon its passage, but no petition be filed within four months. It is provided that proceedings begun under State involvency laws prior to the passage of the act shall not be affected by it. Fol-lowing is a synopsis of the provisions of

The first section is devoted to defining the meaning of words and phrases con-tained in the act. Section 2 defines the courts of bankruptcy. These are the United States district courts in the several Our present revenue law, commonly called States and Territories. They are invested the Dingley bill, is not a war measure. It is with such jurisdiction at law and in equity very far from that. The Dingley bill was a las will enable them to exercise original jurisdiction in bankruptcy proceedings vacation, in chem prospective terms, chembers and during their

> Section 3 defines acts of bankruptey. These are defined, first, as acts by a porson by which his property has been transferred canceled or removed with intent to hinder, delay or defraud his creditors; second, when he has transferred, while insolvent, any portion of his property to creditors with intent to prefer them over other creditors; third, when he has suffered or permitted, while insolvent, any weditors to obtain a preference; through legal proceedings, and not having at least. Two days before sate or final discontrol of any property affected by such preference, variated or discharged such preference, fourth, when he has made a general assignment for the benefit of creditors fifth,

stanment for the benefit of creditors; fifth, when he has admitted in writing his loadility to pay his debts and willingners to be judged on that ground.

A petition may be filed against a person who is insolvent and who has personated an act of tankruptcy within four months after commission of such an act it is a complete defense in proceedings to bankruptcy under this section to prove that he represent was not insolvent. Whenever berson was not insolvent. Whenever berson against whom a petition has befilled takes issue with and denies the alle and accounts and submit to an examina

When a petition is filed by any terson for the purpose of having another adjudged a bankrupt and an application is made to take charge of the alleged bankrupus shall conduct proceedings. At each meet- less expense to make inquiry regarding the take charge of the sileged bankrupt's shall conduct proceedings. At each meeting expense to make the period of the in case the polition is dismissed, to the act-

Section 7 defines the duty of bankrupts. urst meeting of his creditors, if so lirected year shall be distributed under the direcby the court; he must comply with all law- tion of the court to creditors whose claims ful orders of the court; examina correct have been allowed by not paid in full, and ing and continues to shovel coal for the ness of all proofs of claims filed against after such claims have been paid in full mayy, his estate, execute and deliver such papers as near he before the balance shall be paid to the bankrupt.

The balance shall be paid to the bankrupt.

When unclaimed dividends belong to minors such minors may have one year after arriving at maturity to claim dividends.

The war course. tees of any attempt by his creditors to evade the law.

sanity of a bankrupt shall not abate the proceedings, which shall be conducted and onetimed in the same manner as though be had not died or become issane. In case of death the widow and children are entitled to all rights of dower and allow-nice fixed by State laws. Section 9 provides when the bankrupt

shall be exempt from arrest upon civil

Section 10 provides that whenever a warrant for the arrest of a bankrupt shall have been issued and he shall have been found within the jurisdiction of a court other than the one issuing the warrant, he may be extradited in the same manner as persons are now extradited from one district to another.
Section 11 defines the method by which

office fer has been examined in open court or at a meeting of his creditors and file in court a schedule of his property and a

ist of his creditors.

Section 13 provides that the judge, upon application of parties in interest, filed at any time within six months after a composition has been confirmed, may set the same aside and reinstate the case, if it he made to the control of the parties of the pa made to appear on trial that fraud was practiced in the procuring of such com-

Section 14 provides that any person may, after one month and within twelve months subsequent to being adjudged bankrupt, the an application for discharge.

Section 15. Upon the application of parties in interest, who have not been guilty of undue negligence, filed within one year after discharge, the judge may revoke the Indianapolis Scattage. discharge upon trial, if it be made to ap- To the Editor-I wish to call the atten poor that it was obtained through fraud tion of the readers of the Section to the of the bankrupt, and the actual facts do new census bill just passed the senate.

dication, appeals in writs of error, trans-fer of cases, etc. Chapter 5, embracing sections 33 to 54, inclusive, provides tor their duties and compensation.



PRESIDENT HERREAUX OF HAYTI.

The provident of the Dominican republic, as described in The Post's Assoclaired Press dispatches yesterday, is a mulatto of medium stature, with rather remular features, showing the blanding of the African and the Caucasian types, a square Caesarian brow and strong, resolute lips, though with a chin slightly receding, a broad fleshy note, fine crickly hair tinged with gray and a coarse and pronounced moustache, both cropped cather short. His eyes are light brown and as first glance appear mild, almost benevolent. They look at you scraight and continuously while he is talking to you. Unlike the eyes of most of his race in these latitudes, the whites are not injected with blood and bile and the pupils at times express a contagious geniality that even the poor prisoner expectant of death recognizes. Hencreaux's manner, even in his most dangerous moments, it is said, can be bland, caressing and purroutsing.

frint with abuse of their country for presections was against Spain and are defending and praising the enemy, were looked after by Federal grand furies on a charge of treason, and restalled with bunitruptey of all costs and damages occasioned by the setzure and furies on a charge of treason, a practical leason in patriotism might be table to be a restalled and the patriotic of the alleged bankrapt's and detention of the alleged bankrapt's the published continue to open their side show white the performance in the big fort is at its height. These able-bodied fighters could be succeeded by the court or withfrawn by the petitions, the accused man in allowed all voices and attraction of chers which have proportied that the court is at the height to be with the Rough Bidders.

We express our undiminished confidence in William Jenniurs Bryan, our jeries leaver in the National sampaing of 1895, and we note in the standard sample of 1895, a

been declared must be paid into court. credits the account must be stated, and one debt shall be offset against the other and the balance only paid. All real and personal property belonging to a bankrupestate shall be appraised by three disin-terested appraisers, who shall be appoint-ed by and report to the court. Real and personal property, when practicable, shall be subject to approval by the court. It shall not be sold otherwise than subject to the court's approval for less than 75 pr cent of its approved value. Title is to be conveyed by the trustee to the purchaser.

SPAIN'S LATEST BREAK.

The desire of the people of this country to adopted against our prisoners that this gov-ernized will give fair warning, and, if it is not breded, the atractics will be punished as they deserve to be. Fighting the dovil with fire is a last resort, but it can be used ef-fectively,—Baltimore American.

Section 11 defines the method by which suits by and against bankrupts shall be conducted. Suit shall not be brought by or against a trustee or a bankrupt estate thing. Cervera and Limites, if they live subsequent to two years after the estate has been closed.

Section 12 provides that a bankrupt may Section 12 provides that a bankrupt may selves prisoners of war. It will be well for them it the eight crossers of Morro castly are found alive and unburt when that time comes.—Cleveland Plain Denier.

In the world have done much to remo bitterness and ameliorate the conditions wasfare and the treatment of Spanish proners in the future, and Spanish refused as perspithly to the general public impress that some of the chivairy of warfare is to expected of the Spaniard.—Philadelphia Pro In any case it is certain that if the Spanis!

structument or its responsible agents allow any harm to befull the Merriman cours, that would be a short and easy a An erican people that they would thence-ward be satisfied with nothing less than ination of Spain as a state. Wash igton Times. THE CENSUS LAW.

A Trick to Cover Up the Mortgage In. debtedness of the Decade,

The liability of a person That the twelfth census shall be re-Section 24 of this bill reads as follows: Section 16. The Hability of a person who is a co-debtag with or guarantor ar surety for a bankrupt shall not be altered by the discharge of a bankrupt.

Section 17. Discharge in bankruptcy releases a bankrupt from all of his provable debts except such as are due as tax levies by the United States. State, country or municipality in which the bankrupt resides. Chapter 4, embracing sections 18 to 32, lishmonts be given. No provision is made

Austin Evening News: The phantom The bankrupt is required to attend the Dividends remaining unclaimed for one filed is after Dewey now. It is hoped he year shall be distributed under the direct has a rabbit's foot with him Pittsburg Gazette: Mark Hanna, United

Brenham Daily Banner: The war corre spendent is laying claim to the same li

cense to exaggeration that has heretofore Collinaville Times: If your wife pays you a compliment it is well to examine it

arefully, for there are about nine chance out of ien that she has a string to it. Calvert Courier: North Texas will not dominate the next democratic State con-vention, and hence any hopes that Colonel blek Wynne may now possess will prove

wholly Illusive. Johnson County Review: An exchange begins an article by saying: "Learn how to tell a story." The great trouble is that some folks have learned how too well, as videnced by some of the war news we get

Lockhart Advocate: Ruskin, the great English thinker and writer, says: book is worth reading it is worth buying. And he might have added if a newspaper is worth reading it is worth subscribing for. Rockwall, Texas, Success: The interest alien by the Dallas News, Austin Statestaken by the Dallas News, Austin States man and fan Antonio Express in the democratic nomination for governor is the same kind that meddlers take in other people's

affairs. Besville Picayune: Like the Galveston News and San Antonio Express, Speaker Reed is so seldom on the right side of anything that his opposition to the an tion of Hawall furnishes some people with an argument for 41.

Welmar Dally Tribune: The News and The Post are still scrapping about the war service each affords. They could have saved all this trouble by securing the service used by the Tribune-just about as good, if not quite so expensive, Austin Daily Tribune: There is a icion affeat that General Miles is too bly

or his breeches. If he wanted to shine re

eplendent as a grandstand player a fighter ne should have resigned from the army and joined the Up Youder Bas-ball club. Seguin Daily Anchor: The Houston Posand Galveston News are still jawing at or another as to which has the best war ee-Each raper claims to have the best State. Neither one of them have onn the State.

eved the war service of the Seguin Daily Anchor or their controversy would Brugos Blade: "My Sweetheart." makes one sick to hear a 10 or even a 1 year-old girl talk about "my sweetheart. She needs a "sweet cake" more than "sweetheart." They need a heart sweetens by the gra-es that alorn girlhood rather than a heart tilled with thoughts that him

der the purity of the heart. Chapter 4, embracing sections is to as: lishments be given. No provision is made inclusive, is devoted to the procedure in the court and defines the pleadings, adjusting to the mortgage indebtedness as tray a fortifund unequaled by the single tray and the single tray at the si Pecan Valley News: Dewey and Hebeo ands of such, whom the world will neve of cases, etc. Chapter b, embracing included in the census of loss. In a in men to whom the possible chance of death appointment of officers and defines accordance with recommendations made by would be a boon compared to their daily factifice of life at the altar of duty, and Chapter 6 is devoted to creditors. It provides when meetings of creditors shall be held and the manner in which they debtedness of 1890 and 1900. If it is a utethe courage under such circumstances de-serves to rank with the courage to die at men and wemen to whom the world owe average

AT TWILIGHT

For The Post.
Soft and long across the prairie washadows stretch their least.
And the dreamy southern twitter with less and the control of th Lowers gently o'er the bayou, the cattle come to dring.
And o'er the sandy barrens when
cactus is in bloom.
Way up aloft the viuture wheels as

way up diert the visiture whech me can in his flight,
And at my feet the katydid ships,
day's dealine;
As I bare my burning forehead to the dews of night.

And think on dawning morrow, they mean to me and mine.

I am just a common mortal, like as of my brothers;
I have not sufficient learning in to

I have not sufficient learning in the works of God;

My heart grows light or heavy at its or woes of others.

Though I try to see the sunbeam in fall athwart my road.

Not for me to judge a nation, though policy of waiting Seems criminally careless in the of past events.

of past events,
And our statesman in the White Raand the one who went before ha
Will answer at God's judgment for a ful negligence. How our mighty Nation murmured Cuban recognition

Cuban recognition
Was steadfastly denird them; 5am
butcheries went on;
While Weyler, "Butcher" Weyler, see
forth from dark perdition.
Starved the wives and babes of he
who were fighting for their osa
How in that dark November we went in
with bosoms swelling. with bosoms swelling,

with bosoms swelling.

We would then elect a ruler to a with people willed:

And we thought we'd found a More would hear the people telling.

Of the wails of babes and mothen a their weeping must be stilled.

But it did not suit our statesman, per one who went before him; They had ulterior motives which we The wails of butchered children and not understand.

The walls of butchered children and a eyes with famine dim,
Possessed no power to move them the Mammon stayed their hand.

Then came the Maine disaster. Oh of that awful dawning!

Which told, while we were sleeping a pointe have were sleeping. noble boys were slain.

Oh, God, the wail of angulab from people, calling, calling, r vengeance! Vengeance! Vengeance!

Even he could not withstand. Now our boys have donned their trapping on land and over ocean They are making history daily, or brave faces to the foc.
But we at home are weeping that
through all the wild commettes
We have not forgot our duty and we have

our heroes go. fathers, other mothers, in the homes now decimated, Are anxiously awaiting and are page day by day

day by day

For God to spare their heroes, but he
news for which they've waited

To many will bring anguish which al
time will not allay. And we, the common people, think up might have been everted.

Had our statesmen done their day, at they were pledged to do.

Just a simple recognition when Spain butcheries were started.

Would have snared the lives of chilms and our sallor heroes, too.

When our statesmen go to judgment helps the throne of mercy.

And war's and famine's victims but

witness over there; There will be no chance for Mammon, cal earthly apostasy Will be condemned of God, and His july ment's always fair.

We don't fear our Nation's future, then a We don't fear our Nation's future, then no room for doubting
That Columbia triumphant will acception the plish her great aim.

And free the slaves of tyrants, our two boys will come home shouling.

But we weep our fallen heroes, the who'll ne'er come home again.

Those who fall by steel and builet, then ing in the battle's van.

And the fever's wasted victim to be swamp and by the trail

Come and visit us at twilight, and it the

Come and visit us at twilight, an As the specters crowd about him, family gaunt and fever pale.

Soft and long across the prairie strains shadows stretch their length.

And the dreamy Southern twillight, rid with jessamines' sweet perfuse.

Lowers gently o'er the bayou, where the cattle course to drink. cattle come to drink, And o'er the sandy barrens, where is cactus is in bloom. Way up aloft the vulture wheels and de-

cles in his flight.

And at my feet the katydid salutes the day's decline,
As I bare my burning forehead to 0 gentle dews of night,
And think on dawning morrows they mean to me and mine.

—J. M. Levs

THE BLUES,

How the blues creep on a fellow, just see trivial thing goes wrong.

And the world has changed its aspect to bird has changed its song for the croaking of the rayen, and off formulas. for the croaking of the raves, and forming to your mood.
Your thoughts come trooping 'rousd paymaking dark your solltude.
No star of hope lights up the gloom of the year's which stretch before you.
The friends who gather 'round you sent the friends of other days.
Oh, for a day, a minute, with the old file.

to adore you. glad your darkened ways. The business you're engaged in seems to "Pott's Hollow."

The girls whom erstwhite you have been scrawny, lank and sallow.

Oh, for a smile from Lydia, from Mark or from Nors. or from Nore, mind's divided 'tween the part at

Like some poor wounded animal yet as No companionship can help you, the si Loved ones may be about you, with add Your blue and gloomy features; but to

only makes you worse. only makes you worse.

The letters which you long for self-missives unindited.
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